untrained teachers already employed as teachers for 60 days and orientation training for 30 days for fresh recruits. Nearly 40 lakhs teachers are trained annually under SSA.

Registered and unregistered madarsas

4041. SHRIMATI BRINDA KARAT: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of registered and unregistered madarsas in the country;

(b) the details of funds allocated to the registered madarsas for infrastructural development during 2005-06 and 2006-07, State-wise; and

(c) the details of the steps the Ministry has taken to improve the quality of education in madarsas, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALIASHRAF FATMI): (a) Information regarding number of registered and unregistered madarsas is not maintained centrally.

(b) Madrasas are not allocated any funds for infrastructural development. Madarsas which volunteer to teach modern subjects like Science, Maths and Social Studies in addition to their traditional curriculum, are provided financial assistance through respective State Governments for Honorarium to teachers in modern subjects, Science-Maths kits and book banks. Details of grants released to the States during the years 2005-06 and 2006-07 is given in the Statement *(See* below).

(c) National Monitoring Committee for Minorities Education had set up a Committee of Experts on Modernization of Madarsa Programme. The Committee after consultation with Community leaders and Madarsa Managements has made suggestions to remove weaknesses in the existing Madarsas Modernisation Programme. Based on these suggestions, the Progamme is being modified to provide for linkages of volunteering madarsas with the National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS) and imparting of vocational education in addition to modem subject, without affecting their traditional teaching.

Statement

Details of grants released to the States during the years 2005-06 *and* 2006-07

(Amount Rs. in lakhs)

NameofState/UT	2005-06		2006-07	
	Amount	No. of Madarsas	Amount	No. of Madarsas
1	2	3	4	5
Andhra Pradesh	35.20	60	48.60	135
Bihar	79.92	111	—	—
J&K	—	—	12.60	20
Orissa	168,96	116	189.84	145
M.P.	384.00	446	287.69	457
Maharashtra	3.16	4	—	459

1	2	3	4	5
Kerala	59.04	84	338.91	429
Tripura	45.72	127	45.72	127
U.P.	235.25	683	2481.96	3380
Tamil Nadu	—	.—	—	—
Chattisgarh	—	—	242.92	208
Chandigarh	—	—	0.72	1
Karnataka	—		77.41	72
Uttarakhand	—	—	109.03	143
TOTAL:	1011.25	1631	3835.40	5118

Non-teaching staff in NITs

4042. SHRIMATI BRINDA KARAT: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of non-teaching staff working in National Institutes of Technology, State-wise;

(b) whether it is a fact that service of non-teaching staff in NITs in some States are on *ad-hoc* basis; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) The Government has established 20 National Institutes of Technology (NITs) located in 20 different States. A Statement giving details of their location and number of their non-teaching employees is attached *(See* below).

(b) and (c) Two NITs namely Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, Nagpur and NIT-Raipur have 57 and 01 non-teaching employees, respectively on *ad-hoc* basis. In addition, NITs also employ staff on contractual/daily wages as per their requirements depending on the nature of work/job.

Statement

The details of NITs and for number of their non-teaching staff

SIN	Institute	No. of Regular Non-Teaching Staff	Ad-hoc Staff	Contractual Staff	Daily Wages Staff	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	NIT-Agartala	55	—	42	38	135
2.	3.MNNIT-Allahabad	299		05	—	304
3.	MANIT-Bhopal	384	—	04	—	388
4.	NIT-Calicut	252	—	95	48	395
5.	NIT-Durgapur	250	—	07	22	279